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IRONTON, MISSOURI.

THURSDAY, DEC. 10, 1909.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Lots of hunters in the snow.

Read Meyer's Christmas ad.

Hunting season soon be over.

Percy has a new ad this week.

Old Santa getting mighty busy.

See Henry Adolph's Christmas ad.

Any holiday weddings in the valley?

H. B. Jones was in St. Louis last week.

Big Bargains in Christmas Goods at Brown's.

You'll have to hurry and pay your taxes.

Teachers' meeting at Bellevue next Saturday.

The shortest day of the year next Tuesday.

The first sleighing came a little early this year.

Salem was visited by a \$100,000 fire Sunday night.

Land hunters still continue to be unusually plentiful.

A royal meat at the Academy of Music Friday evening.

Three or four inches of ice on the creeks last Thursday.

Griffith at Arcadia College Friday and Saturday evenings.

The young folk had good skating last Thursday and Friday.

And still lots of railroad ties are being hauled to the valley.

An up-to-date line of Silverware at Adolph's jewelry store.

December weather, thus far in the month, has been abominable.

St. Paul's Sunday school will have a Christmas tree Christmas eve.

The K. P. lodge had lunch after the election of officers last Friday night.

Epworth League Bazar, December 17th. Fine supper 5:30 to 8 o'clock.

The first sleigh of the season made its appearance Monday morning.

Buy your Christmas Candles at the Bazar—all home made and pure candy.

It is whispered that there was a wife hunter from afar in the valley last week.

First public appearance of the Arcadia Valley Orchestra at the show, December 27th.

Reserved seats for "Topsy Turvy" on sale at the drug store. Better buy yours, now.

For Sale—One cook stove and five heating stoves. Apply to Dr. W. J. Smith, sanitarium.

Don't forget the entertainment, "Sunset," by the Graniteville public school Christmas eve.

Don't miss the big show, "Topsy Turvy," at the Academy of Music Monday night after Christmas.

A twelve and a half pound fruit cake, and other cakes and mince meat, etc., for sale at the Bazar.

There is some talk of arranging for some in-door basket ball games in the Academy of Music.

Circuit court is still in session in Reynolds county. Verily, they are having a long siege over there.

Contractor Tual expects to have the plumbers at work in his handsome new home in the next week or so.

Do not fail to guess on the beautiful doll that will be displayed at the Bazar in the doll contest.

Piedmont has lately constructed several miles of granitoid walks, we are told. Ironton should do likewise.

Fancy articles of hand embroidery on sale at the Misses Bradley, Ironton, from December 17th until after the holidays.

A good Graphophone with some first-class records will make a fine Christmas present. For sale at Adolph's jewelry store.

Fred Tolleson, who is attending a business college in St. Louis, spent Sunday in Leadwood with his brother.—Lead Belt Banner.

Mr. Delano tells us that the cold weather of last week was the most severe that we've had so early in the season in the past ten years.

Ed. Register—If you should meet a man with bulging calves freely exposed, do not say, "Bah!" You might make an enemy. CON.

Wanted—Hogs in thin order, weighing 90 lbs. or over. Will also pay cash for hides and furs. W. D. FLETCHER, Arcadia, Mo.

The dam at Delano & Farrar's ice pond gave way last Friday and the water went rushing away, leaving three inches of ice to crumble and fall.

Watch out for the Ironton colored minstrel show at the Academy of Music, December 25th. Full particulars in posters to be issued this week.

A stock train was wrecked at Iron Mountain early last Wednesday morning. Quite a lot of stock was killed and traffic was delayed eight hours or more.

At a meeting of the city council Monday evening the ordinance prohibiting cow bells within the city limits was passed. It will be published next week.

Mrs. H. Tolleson departed Monday morning for her home in Graniteville, after a visit of several days with her son, T. R. Tolleson, and family.—Lead Belt Banner.

The holiday trade has hardly begun up to the average so far. With good weather from now on the merchants look for the next ten days to be unusually busy ones.

P. W. Whitworth and Arthur Huff left today for Dexter, Malden, Campbell, Essex, and other points in the southeast, in the interest of "Epworth Among the Hills."

Lena Morrow Lewis, a celebrated lecturer on Socialism, will deliver an address at the courthouse in Ironton, Wednesday evening, December 22d. All are invited.

Superintendent B. P. Burnham requests us to state that the Teachers' Meeting at Bellevue, Saturday, December 18th, will convene at the Methodist church at 9 A. M.

Mrs. White's mother, Mrs. Jake Wood, her sister and brother-in-law, Chas. Hart and wife, of Pilot Knob, and her two little sons visited here this week.—Elvins Labor Herald.

Dr. W. T. Chilton this week purchased a fine saddle horse from J. H. Moyer of Graniteville. He is one of the Denmark breed of animals, registered, and cost the doctor \$200.—Elington Press.

The snow that came Monday night of last week had just about all disappeared when Sunday night last there was another fall of the "beautiful," three or four inches in depth.

James M. Logan of Bellevue and W. T. and R. W. Gay of Ironton are attending a meeting of the directors of the Clark-Gay Manufacturing Company in Little Rock this week.

Bishop Tuttle held services in St. Paul's church Sunday morning and evening. At the evening service the rite of confirmation was administered to H. F. Collins and R. Lee Barger.

Grand Lecturer McLachlan will hold Masonic lodges of instruction in Ironton, Friday and Saturday, December 17th and 18th. All Masons are urged to attend.

MANN RINGO, Sec'y.

They tell us that the Christmas turkey will be scarcer and higher in price than was the Thanksgiving bird. In that event the country editor will have to forego the holiday fowl, we are very much afraid.

Strayed—From my farm near Hinch, Mo., one dark iron-gray mare mule, 3 years old, 15 hands high. Will pay liberal reward for information leading to recovery of same. GEO. COFFMAN, Hinch, Mo.

A grand ball and supper will be given under the auspices of M. W. A. Camp, No. 8902, at Graniteville, Mo., in Workmen's Hall, New Year's eve, December 31st, 1909. A grand time assured all who attend.

Conductor James Webb, and his brother, William, and the county surveyor, Jos. Flickinger, have purchased the Goulding park property, west of town, from James M. Logan. The consideration is said to be about \$3,000.

Mr. Delano, clerk of the Ironton school board, Monday received a letter from Miss Gertrude Hudson, who is at her home in Washington county, stating that her physician said that it would not be possible for her to teach school again this winter.

Lost—Tuesday or Wednesday, December 7th or 8th, in Ironton or on the road to Black River, a purse containing \$140 in currency and two notes. Liberal reward will be paid for the return of the pocketbook to Henry Haven, Ironton, Mo., or to this office.

Harry Lewis, care-taker at "The Maples," is still shipping vegetables from his hot house to Mrs. Jones in St. Louis. Mr. Lewis says that a hot house is no trouble or expense and furnishes many of the vegetables up until Christmas time and even later.

Mr. S. H. Gosney of St. Charles, Mo., announces the marriage of her daughter, Viola, to John R. Holmes, December 2d, 1909, at Baden. At home December 6th, 1909, Jennings, Mo. The REGISTER joins Valley friends of the bride in extending congratulations and very best wishes.

Dr. and Mrs. F. W. Stammer leave the latter part of this week for Hot Springs, Ark. Dr. Stammer is succeeded by Dr. Stettler, of Sedgewickville, who occupies the Stammer residence and office. Dr. J. P. Sebastian, of Williamsville, Mo., has also located here.—Farmington News.

We had three or four cold days and nights last week. A couple of nights the thermometer hovered around zero, but Friday evening it grew warmer, some rain began to fall and some miserable weather followed. It rained Saturday and the rain froze as it fell, making locomotion dangerous and difficult.

James M. Dameron shipped his household goods to Ironton last Friday and he and Mrs. Dameron left on Saturday for that place, where they will make their future home. "Uncle" Jim and Mrs. Dameron have many warm friends in Fredericktown who regret very much to lose them as citizens.—Fredericktown Tribune.

The attention of the reader is directed to an article on the first page, "Beautiful Arcadia," taken from a recent issue of the St. Louis Christian Advocate. In the sale of the lots referred to therein, Mr. P. W. Whitworth, of Ironton, and the Dyer Realty Company, 107 North 10th street, St. Louis, have been engaged to assist.

In last week's REGISTER in the notice of the appearance of the great Shakespearean reader, at Arcadia College, Friday and Saturday evenings, December 17th and 18th, we stated that the readings would begin at 9:30 A. M. This was an error it should have read 7:30 o'clock P. M. Don't fail to hear him. It will be a treat.

Hon. Edward Robb of Perryville was in Jackson last Saturday. Mr. Robb tells us he expects to be a candidate for congress next year. He represented his district in congress several terms and proved to be a very able and influential member. He is a strong man among the people, because, coupled with his well known ability, is his integrity and trustworthiness as a man.—Jackson Cash-Book.

Mrs. M. J. Orrick last Friday morning received a long distance phone from her son-in-law, Mr. Harry Lischer, of Jennings, Mo., announcing the arrival at his home the day before of a nine-pound baby girl. Just a few weeks since a baby boy put in his appearance at the home of Mrs. Orrick's other daughter, Mrs. Hugh Bonham, in Granite City, Ills. Mrs. Orrick left Sunday to see the grandchildren.

Chas. Henson, who lived about six miles west of Ironton on the Reagan farm, came to town last Wednesday afternoon with a load of hub logs. He was so cold when he got here, about four o'clock, that he was unable to get off the wagon and had to be carried into the house. He was somewhat revived and then taken to the home of Cad Lashley, a relative, where he died that night. Deceased was about thirty-five years of age and leaves a wife and four children to mourn his sudden end.

The University of Missouri will offer a special Short Course in Poultry Farming, beginning February 12, 1909, and continuing three weeks. Professor F. H. Stoneburn, of Storrs, Conn., one of the most capable poultry instructors in the United States, has been secured to give this work. This will, undoubtedly, be the best course in Poultry Husbandry ever offered in the State of Missouri. Information regarding this course may be had by addressing Dean F. B. Mumford, Columbia, Missouri.

The ladies of Fort Hill church and Epworth League will give their Bazar and Supper at the Academy of Music, Friday, the 17th, afternoon and evening. Doors open at 2:30. The following menu will be served from 5:30 to 8 o'clock:

Roast Turkey
Cranberry Sauce
Boiled Ham
Escalloped Potatoes
Celery
Potato Salad
Salmon Salad
Beets
Cold Slaw
Cucumber Pickles
Peach Pickles
Spanish Pickles
Jelly
Cake
Preserves
Plum Pudding
Coffee
Sauce

Rev. Strother was here from Des Arc last week and reports all things working smoothly at the Holiness College, with a prospect of a decided increase in the number of students for the remainder of the year. The new music hall is ready for occupancy and a number of residences have been finished the past two months. Stevenson Bros. have just removed into a brand new store house in College town and many more buildings are expected to be put under way soon. College town, not yet three years old, has spent over \$70,000 in improvements exclusive of the school building. A fine showing that and cause for congratulation among the leaders of the movement.

That prince of good fellows and one of the cleverest and most capable men that ever telegraphed on the Iron Mountain railroad, writes from Alabama: "Dear Uncle Eli—Glad to see you are still fighting for right and justice. Didn't we clean up the temperance cranks and fanatics recently? They only carried four or five counties in the entire state, and those by small majority. We still have some drastic state-wide prohibition laws, however. Some of them will probably be modified by the next legislature. The preachers have been running the state long enough as was evidenced by recent election. In conclusion, please permit me to wish you a most happy Christmas and for you and yours a very prosperous New Year, and may you be spared for many years yet to hit the heads of the scheming politicians in Missouri with that most effective club, the REGISTER."

The Poplar Bluff Citizen says: "In a hotly contested basketball game Saturday night at the Tanguay rink, the girls representing the Poplar Bluff High school defeated a picked team from Ironton by the score, 14 to 10. The game was one of the prettiest seen here this season, although fouling was frequent. The teams were nicely matched, the Ironton team having slight advantage in height. The local club overcame this, however, by excellent teamwork. Mrs. Newman of Ironton refereed to the satisfaction of players and spectators. There were no individual stars. The Poplar Bluff guards played a game and every point they won was hard earned. The centers were a little weak in that they did not sufficiently cover their opponents. The forwards worked with zeal and skill. The battle attracted a big crowd that seemed mightily pleased, and somewhat



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BIG LINE OF TOYS!

35c Child's Chair . . . 25c
25c Dressed Doll . . . 15c
Scissor Mice . . . 5c
\$1.25 Jointed Doll . . . 69c
75c Tool Chest . . . 50c
\$1.75 Express Wagons . . . \$1.39
Post Card Albums, 10c and 25c
50c Work Boxes . . . 25c
50c Cuff and Collar Boxes . . . 25c
\$2.00 Toilet Set . . . 1.49
50c Box Stationery . . . 25c
50c Real Jap. Cup and Saucer, 25c
42-Piece Dinner Set . . . 3.49
2.50 Fancy Lamps . . . 1.75
1.00 Plated Coffee Pot . . . 65c
1.25 Vases . . . 75c
1.00 Plated Set Knives & Forks, 75c

5c Hem-Stitched Handkerchiefs, 25c
20c and 25c Emb. Hdks. . . 15c
10c Handkerchiefs . . . 5c
No. 1 Satin Ribbon, all colors, 1c
Holly Design Ribbon . . . 3c to 5c
50c Knitted Muffler (each in individual box) . . . 25c
39c Men's Neckwear . . . 25c
Men's and Boys' Sweaters . . . 49c
Sample Line of Ladies' Sweaters
50c Suspenders (in box) . . . 39c
75c Shirts, all sizes . . . 49c
Linen Scarfs and Squares . . . 49c
Cushion Tops . . . 10c and 25c
50c Quality Toques . . . 25c
Shirtwaists, . . . 98c up to \$5.00
75c Wool Scarfs . . . 50c
Imported Fancy Sox . . . 25c
Umbrellas, Silk . . . 98c
Ladies' and Children's Leggings

Heatherbloom Skirts, 98c to \$2.50
Ladies' Neckwear—all New Designs . . . 25c up
SHOES AND RUBBERS.
Our Stock is Complete. We can fit any member of the family at any price.
Cigars . . . 5c, 10c, 15, 20c
(Special Prices by the Box.)
CANDIES.
Pure Mixed, per lb. . . 10c
Fancy Mixed . . . 15c
Lowney's (fresh) in 1/2 and 1/4 lb boxes
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